

East Africa Vocabulary Activity

Use your vocabulary list you received to complete this activity.

Fill in the blanks.

- Poverty** **Human Rights** **Refugee** **Corrupt**
- A. A _____ flees to a foreign country or power to escape danger or persecution.
- B. A _____ government or political officials misuse power for their own gain.
- C. The basic freedoms that all humans are entitled to are called _____.
- D. _____ is the state of being poor; when basic human needs such as food, water and shelter cannot be met.

Define these terms:

- A. Genocide: _____

- B. Foreign Aid: _____

- C. Prosecute: _____

- D. Drought: _____

Complete the analogies using the word bank:

tsetse fly poaching Horn of Africa harambee EAC

- A. The _____ is to East Africa as Cape Hatteras is to North Carolina.
- B. ECOWAS is to West Africa as the _____ is to East Africa.
- C. _____ is to hunting as plagiarizing is to doing original work.
- D. The mosquito is to the West Nile Virus as the _____ is to sleeping sickness.
- E. "E pluribus unum" is to Latin is to the United States as _____ is to Swahili is to Kenya.

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Define these terms:

Famine: _____

Tourism: _____

Deforestation: _____

Endangered Species: _____

Use your vocabulary list to fill in the blanks.

Desertification
ECOWAS

Persecution
Warlords

Economy

A. _____ is the Economic Community of West African States, an organization of West African nations that hopes to increase trade among themselves.

B. The process of grassland turning into desert because of human misuse is called _____.

C. Throughout East Africa _____ try to control the region by using violent force.

D. An _____ is the system for producing, distributing and consuming goods and services.

E. Treating a race or group of people in a cruel or unfair way because of their ethnic origin or religious beliefs is called _____.